Seek Another B.C. Title

Stepping up a class didn't bother Brentwood Butler Brothers basketball team, which won the juvenile girls' B.C. championship last year and goes for the same title in the junior division Friday and Saturday nights against Vancouver Hastings in a two-game, total-point series at Brentwood Community Hall. Team members, left to right, are Daphne Sluggett, Jessie Peard, Carol Foster, Gail Logan, Stan Bickford (coach), Doreen Bickford, Gloria Andrejkew, Harriet Forsberg, Ann Knott. Missing is Gloria Lomass.—(Colonist photo)

Cougars Help Position With Win Over Spokane

Victoria Cougars moved a big step closer to nailing down a playoff berth in the western division of the Western Hockey League last night by skating their way to a clever, 4-0, shutout over Spokane Spokes at Memorial Arena.

Victory put Pat Egan's club into a much more solid third-place position, four points ahead of fourth-place Spokane who have a game in hand. Cougars still are seven points behind second-place Vancouver Canucks, however.

With a slim week-night crowd of 1,479 fans applauding almost every move, Cougars carried the play to the willing but weaker Spokes for the last two periods. Three goals in the second period put them into a comfortable lead which they increased with the only goal of the third period.

Goaltender Marcel Pelletier was credited with 36 saves as he posted his fifth shutout of the season. After the first period, few of them were of a difficult sort.

Leftwinger Bruce Lea scored two clean-cut goals in the second period on well-assisted plays with Doug Anderson and Doug Macauley. Lea's markers sandwiched a goal by defenceman Don McLeod.

Big Al Nicholson scored his 34th goal of the season to account for the third-period scoring. Nicholson now has 82 points, five short of the club record set by Eddie Dorohoy in the 1950-51 season.

MEKILOK STOPPED

The shutout meant that Cougars were able to stop Spokane forward Max Mekilok's bid to tie Winnipeg's Barry Ross for the consecutive games point-scoring record. Ross set the record of 23 games earlier this season while Mekilok had scored a point in 22 successive games before last night's contest.

The game, played at a fast clip throughout, broke out into a general free-for-all midway through the second period when Spokane's Buddy Bodman apparently high-sticked Cougar defenceman Ted Harris.

Harris jumped on his smaller adversary and pummelled him to the ice and all players on the ice joined in the melee. Bodman and Harris were given five minutes each in the penalty box for fighting and were joined by Spoke's Del Toppoll and Cougars' McLeod who got minors for roughing.

Spokane goaltender Emile Francis will get his sentence in the mail as a league rule calls for an automatic fine of $10 when a goaltender leaves his crease to join in a fight.

Pelletier and Francis both were at their busiest and best in the opening 20 minutes as the teams saked end to end in a frenzied bid for the opening goal.

Cougars visit Seattle tomorrow night, host them Saturday then go right back to the Washington city for a game the following night.

WESTERN DIVISION

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Seattle	63	36	24	3	245	196	75
Vancouver	63	36	26	1	188	158	63
VICTORIA	64	26	34	4	197	233	56
Spokane	63	23	34	6	195	247	52
New Westminster	62	21	39	2	215	273	44

EASTERN DIVISION

Calgary	61	41	19	1	250	184	83
Edmonton	59	30	26	3	187	186	63
Saskatoon	59	28	27	4	195	183	60
Winnipeg	60	28	30	2	241	233	58

Last night's scores: Spokane 0 at VICTORIA 4; Calgary 4 at Winnipeg 3 (overtime).

Next game: tonight, Vancouver at Saskatoon.

Spokane—Goal: Francis; defence: Lancien, Wolt, Williams, Hodges; forwards: Lund, Topoll, Attwell, A. Johnson, Bell, Bradley, Mekilok, Bodman, E. Johson.

Victoria—Goal: Pelletier; defence: McLeod, Kaiser, Hay, Harris; forwards: Ford, Wilson, Anderson, Haworth, Sclisizzi, Macauley, Baluk, Nicholson.

Referee: Al Paradice; linesmen: John Smith, Toby Brown.

FIRST PERIOD

Scoring: None.

Penalties: Hay 8.33, Hodges 14.22, Haworth 17.22.

SECOND PERIOD

1. Victoria, Lea (Anderson, Macauley) 4.54.

2. Victoria, McLeod (Sclisizzi, Baluk) 13.36.

3. Victoria, Lea (Macauley, Anderson) 16.14.

Penalties: Pelletier (served by Sclisizzi) Bodman 3.45, Topoll 9.31, Bodman, Harris (majors) 9.31, McLeod 9.31, A. Johnson 12.04, Bradley 15.00.

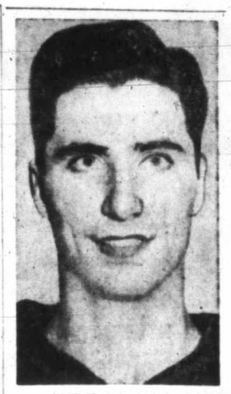
THIRD PERIOD

4. Victoria, Nicholson (Haworth, Ford) 14.26.

Penalty: Hodges 11.53.

Stops:

Francis	12	14	11	—37
Pelletier	16	9	11	—36



ANDY BATHGATE
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Totems, Courtenay Remain in Running

VANCOUVER (Special) — Victoria High School Totems reached the quarter-finals of the 14th annual B.C. high school basketball championships here yesterday, but the Vancouver Island club that rated most of the attention of a record opening-day crowd was Courtenay's lightly-regarded Towhees.

Porky Andrews' smooth-passing Totems downed Penticton, 39-30, in the first of eight opening-round games at UBC's War Memorial gym. The Towhees staged a frantic last-quarter comeback to pull out a 52-48 decision over Lester Pearson of New Westminster. The latter game proved to be the best of a day that saw two decided by a lone basket and a third in overtime.

Vancouver Island's other two entries were eliminated from the championship flight. Esquimalt Dockers lost, 40-29, to West Vancouver, and Alberni Chieftains fell, 40-33, to the defending champions from Lord Byng.

In other games yesterday, Queen Elizabeth defeated Kelowna, 49-43, in overtime; Vancouver College downed Port Moody, 59-46; North Surrey edged Trail, 34-32, and Abbotsford nipped King Edward, 53-51.

Towhees won their game in the final 30 seconds. Bob Colling, who had only three points in the game, sank a 25-foot pressure shot from the corner with 29 seconds left to break a 48-48 tie. Gordon Betcher, a standout for the Towhees, added two foul shots in the final seconds to insure the win.

HIGH SCORERS

Betcher and McKay were high point men for Courtenay with 14 each. Mike Penny, whose basket tied the score and set the stage for Colling's winner, scored 15 for Lester Pearson.

Totem's win over Penticton was largely through the efforts of centre Darrell Lorimer, who led both clubs with [illegible] points. Lorimer, Dave Nelson and Dave Black controlled the backboards and paved the way for captain Tom Wyatt, who set up innumerable plays although scoring only three points himself.

Scorers follow:

Victoria High School—Wyatt 3, Lorimer 17, Nelson 5, Sadler 2, Barnes 2, Collett 2, Hart 2, Black 6, Balloch, Hobbs. Total—39.

Penticton—Skirmer 2, Hale 14, Day 2, Chambers 6, Catlin 4, Derry 2. Total—30.

Courtenay—Betcher 14, McKay 14, Colling 3, McQuillan 11, Miller 7, Scheck 3. Total—52.

Lester Pearson—Craig 5, Penny 13, Carter 13, Larson 2, Hewlett 10, MacDonald 5. Total—48.

Lord Byng—Osborune 13, Walker 5, Bisnar 4, Gardner 12, McCulloch 6. Total—40.

Alberni—Williamson 5, Kimoto 4, Bush 4, Littleton 4, Nordmark 6, Ashby 4, Derkach 6. Total—33.

Esquimal—M. Mitchell 15, A. Mitchell 6, McIntyre 4, McDonald 1, Shaw 2, Woodward 1. Total—29.

West Vancouver—Fiddes 4, Dickson 4, Perry 6, Kaffa 2, Broussan 10, Gill 15. Total — 41.

TODAY'S DRAW

11 a.m.—Penticton vs. Port Moody.
12.45 p.m.—Kelowna vs. Alberni.
2 p.m.—Trail vs. Lester Pearson.
3.15 p.m.—Esquimalt vs. King Edward.
4.30 p.m.—Queen Elizabeth vs. Lord Byng.
6.30 p.m.—North Surrey vs. Courtenay.
7.45 p.m.—West Vancouver vs. Abbotsford.
9 p.m.—Victoria High vs. Vancouver College.

IT BEATS ME

By Jim Tang

"What has happened here?"

The speaker was Annis Stukus and the question was directed at the handful of Victorians who were interested enough to attend a dinner meant to boost the Victoria entry in the proposed new inter-city intermediate Canadian football league. Stuke wasn't referring to the disappointingly small crowd—about 50—which he had to address. He meant what has happened to Victoria sports.

And what has happened? This city has a bright sports background. Years ago it produced more than its share of champions, turned out more than its share of rabid fans. Today we have few good athletes, not many more fans. We didn't support professional baseball, aren't supporting professional hockey, our inter-city soccer clubs have invariably lost money and even lacrosse has been hurt. On the basis of general interest, we really haven't at the moment got a successful sports operation.

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There are a number of contributing factors. The biggest one, and by far, is our higher standard of living. There is more interest in sports today than ever before but longer incomes and shorter hours have made it possible for most of us to become participants rather than watchers. We now have the time and money to spend on the things we like to do ourselves—things like boating, fishing, hunting, camping, bowling, golfing, curling or just going for a drive. And we don't have to do them close to home. Most of us have cars, and better roads and more time make distance hardly a factor at all.

We stay at home today, too, but now most of us have television sets and when we do take the time and spend the money to watch we want only the best. We're used to it, for we can watch the best boxing, baseball, football, hockey, racing and basketball for nothing in the comfort of the living room. Baseball fans dream of seeing a world series, football fans talk learnedly about the Jackie Parkers and Normie Kwongs and hockey fans think that a Stanley Cup final must be the ultimate in puck entertainment.

On top of that, the population shift to urban areas has to a large extent killed off the one thing which might have saved the day for the team sports dying for lack of support—community spirit. Today, there is no in-between. By and large, the sports fan wants to read about it at his level or at the top.

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It's a tough thing to buck, this competition from motor cars and television and more leisure time, but it has to be said that many sports haven't put up much of a fight. They haven't changed with the times, haven't offered a competitive product. When it was no trouble to put crowds in arenas and parks, officials were only too ready to take the bows. When fans thinned out, they blamed everybody and everything but themselves. Too many had failed to realize the truth of the old saying that getting to the top is easier than staying there.

All is not lost, however, and the day of the spectator sport is not over. These things have happened before and the fans have always come back to watch. They'll do it again but not, this time, unless the attitude of many of those who have to sell their sport changes.

They have to realize that the fisherman who will trudge a couple of miles to get to a good lake or scramble up and down river banks all day won't take kindly to being forced to walk a half mile because he couldn't park his car any closer to the park. Or that the duck-hunter who thinks nothing of sitting for hours in a cramped and cold and damp blind will accept a hard, narrow seat in an unheated and smoke-filled arena.

Fans today want comfort and convenience as well as a show. They have to be sold, and appealing to civic duty or community pride is only a waste of time. Who has the right to say that a fellow who looks forward to a weekend on his boat should forego that because it is his "duty" to support the baseball club?

Selling, as Stuke said Monday, is the answer. But selling doesn't mean officials getting their names in the papers or appearing on television shows. It means first of all getting a good product and then packaging it attractively. Now you're on a competitive footing and you have a chance when the cycle changes, as it will sooner or later, because you can believe in what you have to sell. Any salesman will tell you that is the secret of successful salesmanship.

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GUESSING DEPARTMENT: Saskatoon in tonight's WHL game and Navy to make it two in a row over Pilseners in Coy Cup hockey. Batting average to date: At bat 22, hits 14, percentage .636.

FAN FARE By Walt Ditzen

Warriors Tripped By Stamps

WINNIPEG — Calgary Stampeders threw a major road block into Winnipeg's attempted climb into the Western Hockey League playoffs here last night, beating them, 4-3, on an overtime goal by Murray Wilkie.

The win meant little to the Stamps, who have already clinched the eastern division title. But for the Warriors, the loss was a crippler, since it cost them a chance to move into a third-place tie with the idle Saskatoon Quakers.

Warriors now have only four games remaining, one less than the Quakers, in the fight for third place and the last playoff berth.

FIRST PERIOD

1. Winnipeg, Brunel (Mosienko), 17.23.
Penalty—Robazza, 03.

SECOND PERIOD

2. Calgary, Finney (Hicks, Dorohoy), 6.02.
3. Calgary, Hicks, 7.50.
4. Calgary, Dorohoy (Wilkie, Leopold), 15.38.
5. Winnipeg, Brisson (Witiuk), 18.08.
Penalties, Zemrau 3.21, Ward 7.12, Witiuk 10.04.

THIRD PERIOD

6. Winnipeg, Chrystal (Mosienko), 18.21.
Penalties—Ross 1.28, Glover 6.16, Ward 9.03.

OVERTIME

7. Calgary, Wilkie (Dorohoy, Hicks), 3.43.
Penalties—None.
Stops:

Edwards	6	8	13	5—32
Rollins	6	14	12	2—34

B.C. Quartet Battles Back

BRANDON—Manitoba and British Columbia meet this morning in the last round of the ladies' Western Canada curling final to name the 1959 champion.

Mrs. Isabelle Ketchen's Flin Flon rink missed a chance to clinch at least a tie for the title when it took an 18-4 drubbing from Mrs. Dorothy Thompson of Edmonton in yesterday's fifth round. Meanwhile, Mrs. Marge Tegart of Salmon Arm, B.C., battled back into contention with an 8-6 victory over Mrs. Janet Perkins of Regina.

Manitoba and B.C. have both won three and lost two. In earlier games, Manitoba edged Saskatchewan, 10-9, and B.C. scored an extra-end 8-7 triumph over Alberta. Both B.C. victories were decided on last rock.

FOURTH ROUND

Alta.	101 010 110 110 0— 7
B.C.	010 301 001 001 1— 8
(Extra end).	
Sask.	110 010 040 110— 9
Man.	001 201 301 002—10

FIFTH ROUND

Man.	000 201 000 1xx— 4
Alta.	312 020 343 0xx—18
Sask.	010 220 001 000— 6
B.C.	101 001 110 111— 8

Sailors Face Pils Tonight

Navy will be looking for second straight victory in the best-of-five Coy Cup intermediate hockey provincial semi-finals at Memorial Arena tonight.

Navy defeated Vancouver Pilseners, 7-4, Tuesday night. Third game will be played Friday in Vancouver.

Bathgate's Best Can't Keep Blackhawks Out

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Montreal	65	37	15	13	237	137	87
Chicago	65	27	25	13	187	188	67
Boston	63	27	28	9	181	196	63
New York	65	25	27	12	182	190	62
Toronto	65	23	22	11	161	158	55
Detroit	65	23	34	7	153	202	54

Last night's scores: Chicago 5 at New York 3, Montreal 6 at Toronto 2.

Next game: tonight, New York at Boston.

Playoff berths were all but settled in the National Hockey League last night but the individual scoring race stayed wide-open as Montreal Canadiens bounced Toronto Maple Leafs, 6-2, and Chicago Black Hawks downed New York Rangers, 5-3.

Victory for the Black Hawks clinched a playoff berth for the first time in six years. However the fifth-place Leafs couldn't take advantage of the opportunity to gain on the Rangers, and now face the near-impossible task of making up seven points in five games if they are to make the playoffs.

As for the individual scoring race, Dickie Moore and linemate Jean Beliveau are still waging their two-man fight. Beliveau scored two goals, his 38th and 39th, and assisted on one by Moore, but couldn't gain any ground on Moore, who assisted on both his goals. Moore now has 86 points, Beliveau 82.

Andy Bathgate of New York stayed two points behind Beliveau, scoring all three of his team's goals in their loss to Chicago. Bathgate, who now has 37 goals, is four points up on Ed Litzenberger of Chicago, who had three assists last night.

The Canadiens had a rough welcome ready for Ed Chadwick when he returned to the Leaf nets in place of the injured Johnny Bower. Jean-Guy Talbot, Claude Provost and Tom Johnson got the other Montreal goals, while George Armstrong and Dick Duff scored for Toronto.

Montreal's big line of Beliveau, Moore and Marcel Bonin accounted for seven points to raise its total to 107—43 goals and 64 assists—in the last 19 games.

Tod Sloan, Ted Lindsay and rookie Jack McKenzie scored within a two-minute span early in the third period to carry the Hawks to their important victory.

CLUB RECORD

Earl Balfour and Bobby Hull got the other goals for Chicago. Bathgate's three goals broke his own club scoring record of 78 points, which he set last year.

Lindsay, who has now scored 22 goals, threatened a heckling fan with his stick late in the game, jumped the sideboards, and had to be restrained by teammates.

CHICAGO 5, NEW YORK 3

FIRST PERIOD

1. New York, Bathgate (Prentice, Shack) 6.52.
2. Chicago, Balfour (Skov) 10.45.
Penalties: Shack 33, Hull 3.43, Fontinato 7.06, McKenzie 9.59, Evans 15.11.

SECOND PERIOD

3. Chicago, Hull (Litzenberger) 15.13.
Penalties: Gadsby 25, Fontinato 2.34.

THIRD PERIOD

4. Chicago, Sloan (Litzenberger, Lindsay) 5.38.
5. New York, Bathgate (Gadsby, Prentice) 6.24.
6. Chicago, Lindsay (Sloan, Litzenberger) 6.45.
7. Chicago, McKenzie (Lewicki, Wharram) 7.17.
8. New York, Bathgate (Prentice, Popein) 11.00.
Penalties: Ferguson 2.34, Howell 5.28, Pilote 6.18.
Stops:

Hall	15	6	14	—35
Worsley	9	12	11	—32

MONTREAL 6, TORONTO 2

FIRST PERIOD

1. Montreal, Talbot (H. Richard), Johnson) 7.02.
2. Toronto, Armstrong (Duff, Stanley) 16.18.
Penalties: Beliveau 5.45, Brewer 6.36, Bonin 13.45.

SECOND PERIOD

3. Montreal, Moore (Beliveau) 1.34.
4. Montreal, Beliveau (Harvey, Moore) 11.38.
5. Montreal, Johnson (Provost, Marshall) 12.18.
6. Montreal, Provost (Goyette) 19.46.
Penalties: Provost 3.48, Brewer, Duff, Cushenan 11.16.

THIRD PERIOD

7. Montreal, Beliveau (Moore, Bonin) 4.5.
8. Toronto, Duff (Regan) 5.34.
Penalties: H. Richard, Baun 2.52, Cushenan 16.45.
Stops:

Plante	7	6	9	—22
Chadwick	13	12	5	—30

Mickey Mantle Hit by Injury

New York Yankees, who shelled out $80,000 for Mickey Mantle after a long contract battle, yesterday faced the possibility that their star slugger will be hampered — at least during spring training and perhaps during the American League season — by a recurrence of his 1957 world series shoulder ailment.

Mantle, who says he hopes to shoot for baseball's triple crown, was advised not to throw for three days after he felt pain in his right shoulder. Dr. Sydney Gaynor, the club physician, found no calcium deposit.

Mantle first suffered the injury when he collided with Red Schoendienst of Milwaukee in the 1957 world series. Like his predecessor, Joe DiMaggio, Mantle is a very slow healer and apparently is subject to recurring ailments more than most athletes.

Yesterday's linescores:

Cincinnati 000 003 210— 6 17 0
Los Angeles 200 000 023— 7 11 1
Purkey, Acker (5); **Wieand** (8) and **Bailey; Drysdale, Koufax** (6), **Harris** (7) **Klippstein** (8) and **Roseboro.**

Philadelphia 005 101 024—13 17 0
Milwaukee 201 001 012— 7 13 2
Morehead, Schroll (5); **Semprech,** (7) and **Sawatski, Hegan** (8); **Willey, Buhl** (4); **Rush** (6); **Hendrickson** (8) and **Raney, Dalrymple** (8).
Home runs: Philadelphia—Freese, Post (2); Milwaukee—Pisoni 2.

New York 101 022 150—12 11 4
Washington 400 610 02x—13 12 4
Duren, Wiesler (4); **Coates** (6); **Dick** (7); **Dickson** (8) and **Berra, Pascual, Kemmerer** (5); **Hyde** (8) and **Courtney, Korecheck** (8).
Home runs: New York—Windhorn (2), **Siebern**; Washington — **Zauchin, Allison.**

St. Louis (B) 000 010 004— 5 7 0
Cincinnati (B) 000 000 020— 2 4 2
Mizel, Jones, Chittum and Kuhlman; Mabe, Schmidt, J. Bailey, and Pavletich, Gonder.

Chicago N 000 000 023— 5 5 1
San Francisco 310 000 06x—10 10 0
Anderson, Hillman (5); **Phillips** (7); **Henry** (8) and **Neeman; Miller, Fitzgerald** (5); **Shipley** (6); **Jones** (9) and **Stieglitz, McCardell** (6).
Home runs: Chicago—Neeman; San Francisco—Haver.

Pittsburgh 002 200 000 0— 4 6 1
St. Louis 100 000 021 1— 5 8 1
Daniels, Law (5); **Jackson** (9) and **Foiles; Blaylock, Broglio** (4); **Clark** (9); **Grissom** (10) and Green, H. Smith (8).
Home run: Pittsburgh—Goss.

Cleveland 001 000 011— 3 9 5
Boston 010 300 00x— 4 8 0
Wondeschick, C. Thomas (4); **Ferrarese** (7) and **Nixon; Moford, Casale** (4); **Fornieles** (7) and **H. Sullivan.**

Canuck Curlers Outclass Scots

FALKIRK, Scotland — Canada's curling champions — the Ernie Richardson rink of Regina — defeated Scotland's national team 15-9 and 9-2 here yesterday to make a clean sweep of their five-game series for the Scotch Cup.

The Canadians, regarded as the strongest team ever to visit Scotland, also received a tribute from skip Willie Young of the Scottish rink.

"If we win next year's national playoffs, we intend to spend a month practicing the Canadian takeout game in advance of the Scotch Cup matches."

Young said the members of his rink were too old to play knockout curling all the time. The Scots, as they did Tuesday, switched from their draw game to knockout yesterday in an attempt to stick with the Canadians, but their lack of experience proved disastrous.

In the first match, Canada got on the board on only five of the 12 ends, but three were big ones—a four-ender in the second and 12th and a five-ender in the fourth. Each was set up by the Scots' failure at the knockout game.

In the night game, the Richardsons scored singles on five ends. On the third and seventh, when Canada scored two, it was due both times to missed takeouts by the Scots.

The Richardsons — skip Ernie, brother Garnet, and cousins Wes and Arnold — were presented with Balmoral and Royal Caledonian Club crests by members of the Young rink.

Esquimalt, Scots Meet

Canadian Scottish, assured of first place in the Victoria and District Football League, will meet Esquimalt Thursday night under the lights at Royal Athletic Park in the final league game of the season. Game time is 7 p.m.

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Speaking Briefly

Austria Mourns Skier's Death

Ski-loving Austria mourned the death of one of its most popuar and best-known skiers yesterday amid increasing demands that international alpine ski racing be made less dangerous.

Toni Mark, 24-year-old Austrian star, died in hospital at West Germany without regaining consciousness after suffering head injuries, Saturday when he crashed into the crowd during an international downhill race.

His death was the second this season in an international ski meet in West Germany. Last month John Semmelink, 20-year-old Canadian, was killed in the Kandahar race at Garmisch Partenkirchen. One other Austrian star has been killed and several other international skiers seriously injured this season.

The rising toll of accidents brought demands in Vienna newspapers that increased safety precautions be imposed in alpine skiing. The Express headlined an interview with Dr. Karl Weisbach, well-known Vienna sport physician, who said:

"Today every ski racer is a candidate for death!"

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HARRY LANGFORD, nine-year veteran with Calgary Stampeders and a perennial WIU all-star guard, has signed with the B.C. Lions after a reported fall-out with Stampeder coach **Otis Douglas.** Lions also announced that they have landed end **Billy Jessup** of San Francisco 49'ers, and that **Ed Sharkey** and **Ed Vereb** are returning to the club . . . In other football signings, Edmonton Eskimos have come to terms with all-American guard **Stan Renning** of Montana State; fullback **Bill Alford** of Purdue has joined Saskatchewan Roughriders, and **Eddie "Liberty" Bell,** former offensive end and linebacker with Philadelphia Eagles of the National Football League, has signed with Hamilton Tiger-Cats . . . **Chris Saban,** manager of **Yvon Durelle,** says he is considering getting his fighter another bout instead of waiting around for a rematch with the elusive **Archie Moore. Shaban** named **Tony Anthony** or **Pat McMurtry** as possible opponents.

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FLOYD PATTERSON may fight in Toronto against **Brian London** as a warmup bout for his title fight with **Ingemar Johansson,** according to a report in a Toronto newspaper. It quotes manager **Cus d' Amato** as saying he is negotiating with a Toronto promoter . . . **David Campanella,** a son of crippled ex-baseball star **Roy Campanella,** was convicted of juvenile delinquency in New York yesterday for breaking into a store, and was paroled in the custody of his mother and a Roman Catholic priest . . . Russia has withdrawn its crews from rowing regattas in Washington and London because of conflicting Soviet sports competition . . . **Arnie Hallgren,** 25-year-old Vancouver outfielder, has been sold to Denver of the American Association by Lewiston of the class B Northwest League . . . **Wathen R. Knebelkamp** took over yesterday as president of Churchill Downs, succeeding the late **Bill Corum.**